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4.1 Provide targeted technical assistance to districts identified as not meeting or in danger of not meeting state targets based on evaluation of data provided by DESE in order to improve performance on this indicator.	II) RPDC Compliance Consultant	H) Data Planner	of met/not met by region and district. (G,H) when a available indicate 2. Disseminate information to Division staff, 2. At next	Annually based on when data is available for the indicator	n Active
		Improvement Consultant II) RPDC Compliance		2. At next RPDC meeting	
		N) EP Assistant Director	3. Review and analyze the RPDC consultant logs for types and amounts of professional development and technical assistance for districts who do not meet the state targets. (N)	3. Monthly	
			4. Analyze state, regional, and district performance to determine progress from the previous year as well as to evaluate the impact of the RPDC Consultants PD and TA (G,N)	4. Annually	
			Evaluation of Impact analyze data reported for indicator 4		
4.2 Provide information on evidence based practices and strategies for improving performance on this indicator	2005/06- 2010/11	P) EP Supervisor responsible for MORE	Collect/Evaluate/Analyze, Post and Update evidence based strategies and practices to the MORE site from a broad, nationwide perspective. (P)	Ongoing	Active
			Collect/Evaluate/Analyze information on evidence based strategies and practices that are Missouri specific. (P) Collect/Evaluate/Analyze information on		
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			and practices submitted by the DESE staff		
			and RPDC consultants (P)		
			 Provide Missouri specific information by category to the NCRRC for quarterly posting. (P) Develop and add appropriate definitions to strategic sections of the MORE site for clarification. (P) Develop strategies for MORE site search engine optimization. (P) 		
			7. Manage/Support appropriate search engine optimization changes when approved by the DESE. (P)		
			8. Develop methods to make the MORE site more user friendly. (P)		
			9. Develop a plan to increase the visibility and use of the MORE site. (P)		
			 Evaluation of Impact Size and quality of the MORE data base increases. The usage numbers for the MORE site increase Stakeholder feedback on awareness of indicators and MORE is a 		

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4.3 Recruit and Develop models of success in Schoolwide Positive Behavior Supports to improve programs and services for students in MO using established criteria	2005/06-2010/11	N) Effective Practices Director	Using existing application and selection process, recruit and select districts that demonstrate evidence of a model of for this indicator (N)	1. Sept -Annually	Active
			2. Send message to Missouri districts to solicit applications (N)	2. October-Annually	
			Review applications and make selections. (N)	3. November-Annually	
			4. Send letters to selected districts(N)	4. July 2010	
			Develop a marketing plan to disseminate information on models of success. (N)	5. June-Annually	
			Evaluation of Impact Increase in the number of Models and indicated if they had direct contacts with other districts.		
4.4 Provide training and professional	2010/11	E) Compliance	1.Update Improvement Planning Manual (N, P)	1. Spring Annually by	Active
development through the RPDC Consultants for development and implementation of improvement plans.	Supervisors I) Data Staff		2.Provide updated training to RPDC consultants (N, P)	July 1 2. Summer Annually by Sept 30	
		N) Effective Practices Assistant Director	3. Provide regional trainings for districts on Improvement Planning (HH, JJ, II)	3. Fall Annually by November 30	
		P) EP Supervisors	4. Provide technical assistance to districts writing plans (E, I, N, P, HH, JJ, II)	4. Fall and Winter annually by March	

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		HH) RPDC		I^{st}	
		Improvement	Evaluation of Impact		
		Consultants	Evaluation of Improvement Plans and district		
			data		
		II) RPDC Compliance			
		Consultants			
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